

### Interview Summary

**Application No.**

09/980,403

**Applicant(s)**

GULLBERG, DONALD

**Examiner**

Maher M. Haddad

**Art Unit**

1644

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Maher M. Haddad.(3) Brenda Brumback.(2) Anthony Tridico.

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Date of Interview: 09 September 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: \_\_\_\_.

Identification of prior art discussed: \_\_\_\_.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant proposed to add a proviso clause to exclude the full length integrin subunit alpha11 polypeptide as well as its mature form. The Examiners agree that excluding the full length and the mature form of alpha-11 subunit would overcome the art rejection if there is sufficient support in the specification for the full length and the mature form. Applicant points to the specification for support at page 4, lines 10-16, page 9, lines 8-18, Figure 2, original claim 25.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Maher M. Haddad/  
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